P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, We believe that man was endowed by his Creator with certain inalienable rights; and

WHEREAS, We believe that among these rights is that of Freedom; and

WHEREAS, The light of Freedom flickers weakly in many parts of the world today, due to the misconception of those inalienable rights and the perversion of true values; and

WHEREAS, Sertoma International, a civic service organization, has adopted an annual "Freedom Month" program to elucidate and reaffirm these principles of Freedom in conjunction with the organization's motto, "Service to Mankind":

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the month of February, 1971

SERTOMA'S FREEDOM MONTH

and call upon all citizens of the State of South Dakota to reaffirm their faith in the principles of the Declaration of Independence and to re-dedicate themselves to the Free Way of Life.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 14th day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-one.

Richard F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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